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The reply filed on 7/5/2007 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

The restriction requirement dated 6/13/2007 required an election of species between Figure 1 and Figure 2 and indicated that no claims were generic. In response, Applicant elected the species of Figure 1 and stated that claims readable on Figure 1 were claims 1-15 and that claims 1-5 were generic. Applicant's response is considered to be non-responsive because all claims 1-15 are not readable on Figure 1. Looking at Figures 1 and 2 and their related disclosure in the specification, it can be seen that claims 1-5 and 11-15 are readable on Figure 2 and claims 6-10 are readable on Figure 1. Applicant is requested to reconsider and/or clarify their election in view of the comments above. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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